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Application No.: 10/509,551)	CUSTOMER NO. 27717
Applicant: Campbell, John)	
Filed: September 28, 2004)	Confirmation No.: 5917
Docket No.: 37389-403200)	Examiner: Miller, William L.
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Title: APPARATUS FOR COLLECTING PARTICULATE MATERIAL)	

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY FILED
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 12, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

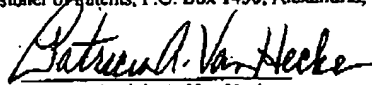
Amendments to the Specification, including the Abstract begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims includes amendments to Claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17 and 18, the cancellation of Claim 4, and the addition of new Claims 19-21 as set forth in the Listing of Claims, beginning on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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